Board's Moral and Financial Support Pledged For Great Festival in 1917

DISPLAY LAST SPRING DECLARED DISGRACEFUL

Immense Crowd Is Expected To Be in Honolulu During Next **Big Celebration** 

Two hours of lively discussion of the matter of street decorations for the 1917 Carnival by the board of retail trades, yesterday afternoon, brought out two propositions on which opinions seemed to be unanimous, the first being that Honolulu's showing in the past, especially last year, was dis-graceful, and the second that for the next Carnival the city will do some real decorating. The final action taken was the adoption of a motion to give the moral and financial support of the

board to any plan that may be adopted for a uniform decoration scheme.

It was brought out very forcibly in the long discussion that in the carsivals of the past four or five years the merchants of Honolulu have failed to

# ARE RECOVERING

But Market Shows Some -Improvement

Although only a small volume of business was transacted yesterday brokers reported, a decided improvement in the tone of the market.

Olan gained \$1.25 a share, on sales of 750 shares, closing at 19.25 and Oahu lost half a point on sales of 370; Pioneer and Wainlun also dropped a quarter each. Brewery, Ewa and Haw'n Pines sold without change. O. R. & L. gained \$2.50 per share from last sale but Mutual Telephone lost a quarter. One Honokaa six per cent bond sold

On the curb 2600 shares of Mineral Products sold at 99 cents, and 282 Engels at \$2.65. Bid and asked prices were, Hon. Consolidated, 3,25-3.40; Engels Copper, 2.60-2.70; Mountain King 80-90; Tipperary 8-10; and Mineral Products 90 cents bid. The market was very quiet.

the board had talked for nearly two hours without a motion being put, his suggestion caused a smile.
What the Carnival committe

wants is our moral support," said Far-rington, "and that we should give. The result last year of efforts to decorate were a disgrace to the town."

Towse made a motion that the board

pledge its moral and financial support to a plan of uniform decoration, to be adopted at some future time. Second-

## RATES EXPECTED SHALL N

Small Volume of Business is Done Honolulu Dealer's Believe Freights To Islands Will Be Less; Others Down

> Honofulu lumber men believe rates for sail from Gray's Harbor and Puget Sound to Island ports will drop soon in line with the general decline setting in generally on the Atlantic and more recently on the Pacific. The last quotation sheet of the Shipowners' association received here, dated July 1, showed Hawaiian rates firm at seventeen dollars a thousand, which had ruled since June 10. A drop would be good

news to lumber consumers. Portland advices say that Pacific rates generally are declining. Down 50 Per Cent

Trans-Pacific freight rates have dropper about fifty per cent in the last few months, says a despatch from Portland. Early in the spring thirty dollars a ton was quoted by a number of the steamship companies for the transportation of wheat and flour to the Orient. The rate was practically prohibitive fand hithe of the products moved. The general belief was that it was intended to be prohibitive in order that all of the space could be utilized for carrying munitions to Vladivostok and other cargo across the Pacific more greatly needed. Recently the rates on flour and wheat have dropped to just about half that

Governor Insists That Traction and Gas Franchises Protect Paving of Crescent City

THIS IS WHY HE HELD UP RAILWAY CHARTER

Executive Issues Statement of His Position and Suggests Double-Main System

In a formal statement to the public, esterday, Governor Pinkham anounced his position in regard to the Hilo traction and gas franchise, and explained why he had asked Senator. shafroth of Colorado to have the approval of the measure pending in the senate held up until Charles B. Forbes. superintendent of public works, could reach Washington and still further explain to the senator the nature of the objections of the territorial government to certain features of the bill.

The Governor pointed out in this

statement that the measure gave the company the right to lay its mains down the center of the streets of Hilo.



## MARINE INTELLIGENCE By Merchants' Exchange

Chile—Sailed, July 10, bark Star of Holland for Honolule.

Rabului—Arrived, July 10, str. Wilmington from San Francisco—Arrived, July 11, str. Enterprise, from Hilo July 2.

San Francisco—July 12, Arrived, str. Lürline, hence July 4.

Sydney—Sailed, July 12, str. Sierra for Honolulu. San Francisco—Sailed, July 12, 6 p str. Matsonia for Honolulu.

## PORT OF HONOLULU.

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Helene from Hawail, 6 a. m. Hyades from San Francisco Manna Kea from Hilo, 7:30 a. schr., Mokelii from Koolau Manoa from San Francisco, 8:55

Maul from Kaual, 5:30 a. m. Wallele from Kaual, 7:05 a. to. Niagara from Vancouver, 8 a. m. Kalulani from Hawaii, 6:20 p. m. ansport Sheridan from San Francisco

GRANTED ANOTHER TERM got together all the retail merchants and whopp up the decoration proposition. Parson thought that the board should first pass the matter up to the Chamber of Commerce, which meets heart Wednesday.

Support Voted On Motion

Farrington asid that if the board was going to go to the chamber of was going to go to the chamber of was going to go to the chamber of what a clear cut proposition and not sepect the chamber to listen to a two hours' discussion on the subject. As hours' discussion of the commerce of the chamber to listen to a two hours' discussion of the commerce of the chamber to listen to a two hours' discussion of the subject. As hours and the commerce of the chamber to listen to a two hours' discussion of the subject. As hours and the commerce of the chamber to listen to a two hours' discussion of the subject. As hours, and find the commerce of the chamber to listen to a two hours' discussion of the subject. As hours, and discussion of the commerce of the chamber of the



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	Bugar.  Ewa Plantation Co  Haiku Sugar Co  Haw'n Agr. Co  Haw'n Com'l Sugar  Haw'n Sugar Co  Honokaa Sugar Co	265 225 53 50	13% 225	250
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San Carlos, 6s ..... 100 Between Boards

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Olaa, 50, 25, 125, 18.50, 50, 18.1214 neer, 15, 55, 53.75; \$1000 Honokaa 6s.

Olaa, 25, 25, 25, 25, 50, 50, 19,00; Hon. B. & M. Co., 50, 20,50; McBryde, 25, 10, 20, 13,00; Pioneer 10, 53,75; Mut. Tel. Co., 5, 19,75; Waishus, 10, 5, 5, 55, 35, 15, 20, 35,50.

Honolulu, T. H., July 10, 1916. Pioneer Mill Co., Ltd. will pay an atra dividend of 1% on August 1st,

making a total dividend of 3% pay-SUGAR QUOTATIONS 88° analysis beets (no advices) Parity-96° Cent. (for Hawaiian sugare)

6.40. RUBBER QUOTATIONS July 10, 1916. New York .... 61:00

## OVER RATIFICATION

Republicans Extend Olive Branch To Progressives By Inviting A. L. C. Atkinson To Speak

Robert W. Shingle was chosen to pre-

ide at the Republican ratification meeting which will be held next Twesday evening in Asla park, at a meeting of the committee of arrangements held yesterday in the office of Mayor Lane. As signifying the "get together" spirit between the Republican and

Progressive parties, A. I. C. Atkinson was invited to be one of the speakers.
Atkinson is the secretary and principal organizer of the Progressive party here, and one of Honolulu's most enthusinstic Roosevelt men. The committee had news that all over the country the two parties were splitting "fifty fifty" in committee and other "fifty fifty" in committee and other work, and it was with the idea of spreading this spirit in Hawaii that hey asked the leading Hawaii Progres-ive to join in the Hughes' ratifica-

on gathering.
Other speakers will be Delegate Kuhio, who has just returned from Washington and may have some decidedly nteresting remarks to make about the astional situation; and representatives of each of the islands. Rev. S. L. Desha of Hawall, C. A. Rice of Kanai and Judge J. W. Kalus of Mani are ex-